BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING DEPART— MENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES in and for the STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF THE AP-PROVAL OF THE NOTICE OF INTENT AND RECLAMATION PLAN SUBMITTED BY LUKI MILLING CORPORATION, GRAND COUNTY, UTAH

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
NOTICE OF HEARING
NO. ACT/019/001

THE STATE OF UTAH TO
ALL OPERATORS, TAKERS OF
PRODUCTION, MINERAL AND
ROYALTY OWNERS, AND
PARTICULARLY ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 24
EAST, SLBM, GRAND COUNTY
UTAH.

Notice is hereby given that
tentative approval was given by
the Utah Division of Oil, Gas
and Mining, on January 22,
1981, to Luki Milling Corporation, Box 1075, Vernal,
Utah, 84078, to commence
placer surface mining
operation for gold ore in portions of State sections 28 & 29,
Township 22 South, Range 24
East, Grand County, Utah. The
name of the mine is the Tibbetts Placer Mine, and the person representing the company
in this matter is Mr. Carroll
Hart, President, Luki Milling
Corporation, P.O. Box 1075,
Vernal, Utah 84078.

Luki Milling Corporation has
fulfilled obligations under the
Mined Land Reclamation Act of
1975 (Section 40-8, U.C.A.,
1953, as amended), and will
employ the following
reclamation techniques on approximately 41.5 acres of state
mineral leased claims.

During Operations:

 Access will be via existing roads to the mine area. No new access roads will be constructed.

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2. Placer mining operation will be conducted in a safe, orderly and responsible manner.

3. All supportive growth medium (topsoil) will be stockpiled prior to stripping activities and later used for reclamation.

4. Surface structures and

reclamation.

4. Surface structures and supportive activities will consist of the diversion ditch, water storage pond, settling pond, small screening, washing and processing plant, office trailers, fuel storage tanks waste rock black sand. tanks, waste rock, black sand and topsoil stockpile disposal

areas.
5. A 100 foot buffer strip will be staked and left undisturbed along the Colorado River.
6. Gravels and sand will be stripped to approximately 15-20 feet, screened and washed, amalgamated and then concentrated

centrated.

7. As one area of the pit is worked out, it will be backfilled with rejected material from the screening operation and reclaimed as necessary.

After Operations:

 The operator has committed to comply with all applicable reclamation standards adopted under the Utah Mined Land Reclamation Act.

2. Buildings, trash and debris will be removed as required and all areas backfilled, graded and

topsoiled.

3. The disturbed surfaces will be harrowed, broadcast seeded with an appropriate seed mixture, and reseeded if necessary prior to bond

Reclamation performance surety will be established upon final approval of the mining and

final approval of the mining and reclamation plan.

Any person or agency aggrieved by this tentative decision is hereby requested to submit written protest within 30 days of February 12, 1981, to the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 1588 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116, setting forth factual reasons for his complaint. for his complaint.

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If you and each of you have any objection to said application, you are requested to notify the Division on or before Thursday, March 12, 1981, and thereafter appear before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining, in the Wildlife Resources Auditorium, 1596 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, on Thursday, March 26, 1981, at that time and place to show cause, if any there be, why said application should not be granted.

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DATED this 4th day of
February, 1981.
STATE OF UTAH
BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND
MINING
/s/Paula Frank
Secretary of the Board

Secretary of the Board Division of Oil, Gas and Mining 1588 West North Temple Salt Lake City, Utah 84116 Phone: (801) 533-5771

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STATE OF UTAH,

County of Grand,

Samuel J. Taylor, being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says: That he is the publisher of The Times - Independent, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published every Thursday at Moab, Grand County, State of Utah; that the notice

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hereto attached, and which is made a part of this Affidavit of Publication, was published in said newspaper for a period of 1 consecutive issues, the first publication date having been made Feb. 12, 1981

; and the last on

; and the said notice was published in each and every copy of said newspaper during the period and time of publication, and that it was published in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement thereof.

Subscribed and sworn before me this Feb. 27,1981

Samuel Juegh Publisher

Residing at Moab, Utah

Notary Public

My Commission expires

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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING